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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

This amendment is in response to the Official Action dated June 4, 2003. Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 4-5 and 10-20, and amend claims 1-3 and 6-9 as follows: